

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

vs.

FRANCISCO ALVARADO SANTOS,

Defendant.

**4:13CR3078**

**ORDER**

A joint oral motion to continue the change of plea hearing has been filed (Filing No. 37). As explained by counsel, the parties need additional time to engage in plea discussions. Based on the representations of counsel, the court finds the motion should be granted. Accordingly,

**IT IS ORDERED:**

- 1) Defendant's motion to continue, (filing no. 37), is granted.
- 2) The defendant's plea hearing will be held before the undersigned magistrate judge on November 19, 2014 at 2:00 p.m.. The defendant is ordered to appear at this hearing.
- 3) For the reasons stated by counsel, the Court finds that the ends of justice served by continuing defendant's plea hearing outweigh the best interest of the defendant and the public in a speedy trial. Accordingly, the time between today's date and the district court judge's acceptance or rejection of the anticipated plea of guilty shall be excluded for speedy trial calculation purposes. 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7).

Dated this 27th day of October, 2014

**BY THE COURT:**

*s/ Cheryl R. Zwart*  
United States Magistrate Judge